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TITLE OF INVENTION: MULTI-PURPOSE HAND TOOL AND SCRIBING APPARATUS UTILIZING MULTI-PURPOSE HAND TOOL

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